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WELLMAN FILES SUIT

Explorer Demands \$50,000 in Libel Action.

PARIS INTERVIEW PUBLISHED

Contained Alleged Statements by Lieut. Liewenthal, Chief Engineer of North Pole Expedition, that Wellman Said "Dash Was a Bluff." Balloon to Be Landed on Glacier.

An article dated Paris, May 9, purporting to be an interview with Lieut. Liewenthal, chief engineer of the Walter Wellman north pole expedition, has resulted in a suit for libel being filed in court. The amount of damages demanded is \$50,000.

The article in question was headed: "Calls it Arctic bluff. Engineer of Wellman expedition caustic in his denunciation. Quotes 'north pole hero' as saying he had bluffed the world with an impossible project."

Then follows the article, in which Lieut. Liewenthal is quoted as saying that Wellman told him the dash for the pole was a bluff; to make an ascension and bring the balloon down on a neighboring glacier, and that Wellman told him that "we must have something that can be cinematographed," and that Wellman also told him he had arranged for a series of lectures in America.

The alleged interview was printed in the Washington Post on May 10 last. Mr. Wellman asserts in his suit that the interview was false and malicious.

His Literary Habits. In his declaration, which was filed by Attorney Thomas C. Bradley, Mr. Wellman states that for a long time he has been engaged in writing and corresponding for newspapers and magazines, and doing general newspaper and literary work, and "organizing, directing, accompanying, and leading expeditions to arctic regions in an effort to locate and discover the north pole."

He makes the statement that by reason of this work he has risen to a position of prominence in the newspaper and literary field, and is widely and favorably known in this and foreign countries, and more especially in Washington, as an author on subjects pertaining to explorations in the arctic regions and aerial navigation.

By reason of this, he states he has gained the good opinion of many persons in official circles in the city of Washington.

He charges that with an intention to hold him up to public scorn, infamy, ridicule, and disgrace, the Post published the interview with Liewenthal, a copy of which is contained in the information.

Mr. Wellman is Reticent. Mr. Wellman declined to discuss the suit last night, and referred all inquiries to his attorney, Mr. Bradley.

When seen by a reporter for The Washington Herald, Mr. Bradley said Mr. Wellman believed he had been injured by the publication in question, and proposed to appeal to the courts for redress and vigorously prosecute the suit.

"One of the statements contained in this article on which this suit is based," said Mr. Bradley, "is that Maj. Hersey, sent by the United States government, was the only member of the expedition that took it seriously."

In this connection Maj. Hersey's estimate of Lieut. Liewenthal might be interesting. Attorney Bradley handed the reporter a clipping from the Milwaukee Sentinel, which is as follows:

Maj. H. B. Hersey was considerably amused over the story sent out under a Paris date in which an engineer named Liewenthal is quoted as saying that the Wellman expedition was an "Arctic bluff." Maj. Hersey has no credit for being the only serious member of the expedition, and denies that he hung his instruments in the shed with the "jaws and saws." On the contrary, they were placed where they would do the most good in making records of the weather and conditions which he was sent to gather.

"That Lieut. Liewenthal, which is his right name, was an unbalanced character who was discharged by Wellman when we returned from the expedition," said the major yesterday. "He threatened at that time to sue me, and I threatened to sue him. He is a native of Finland, and an engineer. He is a scientific fellow in an erratic way, and has done some good work. He is a balanced and impracticable, a sort of crank who could not be used, and so Wellman got rid of him at the earliest opportunity. He is evidently trying to get back at him for that. What he says amounts to nothing, and will receive little attention from those who are acquainted with the facts. As to the instruments, they were as carefully looked after as those in the Weather Bureau here."

Continuing, Mr. Bradley said: "Liewenthal was discharged by Mr. Wellman during the first expedition in the summer of 1904, and did not accompany the second expedition."

"When will Mr. Wellman make another dash for the pole?" asked the reporter. "I think that a year from this summer he will make the effort again," said Mr. Bradley.

Mr. Bradley said it was true that Mr. Wellman, upon his return from the arctic regions, delivered a series of illustrated lectures before scientific societies and other audiences.

PLACES OF INTEREST.

Library of Congress—Open 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. on regular days; from 2 p. m. to 10 p. m. on Sundays and on certain holidays.

Public Library—Open 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.; holidays, 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.; Sundays, 2 p. m. to 10 p. m.

Executive Mansion—Open 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

United States Capitol—Open 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

United States Treasury—Open 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

State, War and Navy Departments—Open 9 a. m. to 2 p. m. (The original Declaration of Independence is in the library of the State Department.)

United States Patent Office—Open 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

United States Pension Bureau—Open 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

United States Post Office—Open 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Washington City Post Office—Open all hours. (The Dead Letter Office is in the city post-office.)

National Botanic Gardens—Open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Fish Commission—Open 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

National Museum—Open 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. (including holidays).

Smithsonian Institution—Open 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. (including holidays).

Agricultural Department—Open 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Bureau of Engraving and Printing—Open 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Washington Monument (555 feet in height)—Open 8:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. (Elevator runs from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m.)

Gallery of Art—Open 9:30 a. m. to 4 p. m.

In winter, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. in summer, 9:30 a. m. to 5 p. m., excepting in midsummer. Admission free on Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays, and Sundays; other days, 25c admission.

Government Printing Office—Open 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

Navy Yard—Open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Southwest Cottage, 36th St. and Prospect Ave.

IN THE SUBURBS.

Zoological Park—Open all day.

Rock Creek Bridge—Open all day.

Cherry Chase, Kensington, and Chesapeake Beach.

Naval Observatory—Open 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Mount Vernon (the home and tomb of Washington)—Open 11 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Arlington National Cemetery—Open all day.

Fort Myer Military Park—Open all day.

Falls Church and Fairfax Court House.

United States Soldiers' Home—Open 9 a. m. to sunset.

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FUNERAL OF CAPT. BARTLETT

Services Will Be Held at Two o'Clock To-day at Brentwood.

Death Came Unexpectedly, for It Was Thought He Was No Longer In Need of Attendant.

Funeral services over the remains of Capt. Wallace A. Bartlett, a prominent citizen of Washington, who died suddenly of heart failure on Monday evening at his home in Brentwood, Md., will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late residence.

Rev. Henry Thomas, rector of Pinkney Memorial Church, Hyattsville, will officiate, and the interment will be in Rock Creek Cemetery.

Although Capt. Bartlett had been ill, following an acute attack of indigestion, which he suffered about a month ago, and had been in the care of a trained nurse since, the end came unexpectedly, for on Monday he had been pronounced so much better as to no longer need an attendant.

In fact, he was well enough to have gone to his real estate office, near his home, when the fatal attack came upon him. By an effort he was able to reach home, but found no one there except an aged colored servant, whom he sent for a physician. Before aid arrived, however, he had expired. His wife, Mrs. Jennie Bartlett, and a daughter, Mrs. C. D. Macpherson, survive him.

Capt. Bartlett was born in Warsaw, N. Y., on November 5, 1844. At the outbreak of the civil war he enlisted at Buffalo, and was wounded in action at the battle of the Wilderness and taken prisoner. After being in Libby Prison for seven months, he was exchanged and ordered to Texas as a lieutenant. Later he was brevetted captain.

He was engaged in newspaper work at Corpus Christi, Tex., after the war, until he came to this city in 1867 to become foreman of the specification division of the Government Printing Office. From 1873 until 1887 he served in the Patent Office as an examiner, leaving there to engage in business for himself as a solicitor of patents, in which he enjoyed a large practice. About this time he moved to the village of Brentwood, and has since been a prominent factor in its development.

With Lieut. Zaslavsky, the captain was the joint inventor of the dynamite gun, two of which were successfully used in the recent war with Spain. He was a member of Warren Post, G. A. R., of Hyattsville.

Thomas Winfield Scott, an intimate friend of Capt. Bartlett, in speaking of some of his characteristics, said he was a man of positive nature, kindly disposition, and a philanthropist to a marked degree. He was an ardent temperance advocate, an effective writer and speaker, and his untimely end is a distinct loss to the community.

Decorations Day Flowers. An unusually large variety of beautiful, fresh flowers at Gude's, 124 F.

EXCURSIONS.

Unusual interest has been manifested in the announcement of the special excursion scheduled by the Norfolk and Washington Steamship Company for May 30. Leaving the wharf for the round trip to Old Point and Norfolk, leaving at 6:30 Friday and Saturday evenings, May 29 and 30; tickets good to return Monday, June 1. This will give one or two days, as one's convenience permits, at Old Point, Norfolk, or on the water, with two nights' sail via the superiorly appointed steamers of the N. & W. line.

A combination special-rate ticket, including accommodations, meals, and transfers, Old Point, will also be sold, the rate covering fare, stationer's berth, and expenses at the Chamberlain breakfast Saturday morning to after dinner Sunday night. These tickets will be sold at the rate of \$2.00 Friday evening, and returning Monday morning, June 1, at 7 o'clock. All information, tickets, etc., may be had at the Seventh street wharf or at 736 Fourteenth street.

Chevy Chase Lake promises much enjoyment for those who will make it their object to spend Decoration Day. Preparations for the crowds are complete, the picnic grounds being in readiness for the throngs that await their opening, and the various amusement buildings, booths, and pavilions are being erected. The management has again secured the services of the Marine Band musicians, who will render a special concert programme Saturday evening, which will be the feature of the opening. They will play every evening during the summer, and will follow nightly by dancing. Sundays excepted. No intoxicants or questionable amusements have ever been tolerated at Chevy Chase Lake, so that the resort attracts the most refined patronage, a fact much appreciated by the public, and one in which the management takes pride. The car service is always adequate for the largest crowds, the track-age facilities being for all-year-round service, not merely temporary.

River View will be open to the public on Decoration Day, and the Queen Anne will make three trips to the resort, leaving here at 10 a. m., 2 p. m., and 4 p. m. The famed water chute, the scenic river, and the many other attractions of the resort will be open and running, and concert music and dancing will be a feature of the day's pleasure. The dancing pavilion at River View is the largest and coolest of any of the river resorts, and has plenty of room where spectators can sit and enjoy the music while watching the ever-changing panorama of the Potomac. The grounds never looked prettier. The acres of lawns are fresh and green, and the big trees scattered over the wide grounds are in all the glory of their summer foliage. Since the close of the last season the buildings housing the many attractions of the resort have been put in thorough order. Returning the Queen Anne will make frequent trips home, the last one from the resort being made at 10:30 p. m. The View is under new management.

Colonial Beach, the Atlantic City belonging particularly to the people of Washington and its vicinity, will be visited by a large throng who will desire to spend Decoration Day at the pretty summer resort. Since the close of the last season many improvements have been made at the beach, and a number of residents of this city have built new summer homes there. For the convenience of those who wish to visit the resort the big and fast steamer St. Johns will leave here Friday afternoon at 2:45, and again Saturday and Sunday mornings at 8:45. On the return trip the steamer will leave the beach at 5 p. m. Saturday and Sunday, and will arrive home about 10:30 p. m. This schedule affords an opportunity to spend forty-eight hours where the salt breezes blow, and where the fresh ocean permeates the lungs and makes the city man feel like a new person.

Bathing, boating, crabbing, and fishing are the aquatic amusements to be enjoyed at Colonial Beach, and the beachward amusements will also be ready to give pleasure. The trout and perch fishing is reported to be particularly good this year. During the month of June Saturday evening and Sunday morning trips will be made by the W. & P. Line steamer, and the daily trips to the resort will begin July 5.

Roy-proof Garden Hose, 106 Ft. Pk. Ave., Arlington. Lindsay's Rubber Store, 933 F.

THEODORE III CLUB.

New York Artists Are Pushing Roosevelt for Renomination.

A new and novel bearing upon the possibility of another term for Theodore Roosevelt originated with eight prominent artists of New York. These artists, Robert Henri, Everett Shinn, W. J. Glackens, Morris Prendergast, John Sloan, Ernest Lawson, George B. Lukes, and Arthur B. Davies, have dropped for the nonce their pencils and brushes and gone into politics. The result of their efforts is the organization of a Theodore III Club, the object of which is to keep President Roosevelt in the White House for another four years after March 4. The campaign of this club has been planned for the most part in Mr. Shinn's studio, and its meetings likewise have usually occurred there.

Ingenuous methods are the watchword of this club. A puzzle—the third-term puzzle—was devised by Mr. Shinn. It is a tin toy about six inches in length, a sort of cartoon of the President, being adorned with the inevitable eyeglasses and the regulation smile. Under the eyeglasses are found cavities in which grooves are inconveniently fixed, and lead bullets about a quarter of an inch in diameter, one to each eye. The object of the puzzle is to worry the bullets into the depressions which represent the corners of the eyes. That is all there is to it! But it is a lot more difficult than one would think at first glance.

The question is, "Does it look like a third term?" Various expressions are brought to the tin countenance of the President in the working out of this puzzle, but when the bullets are at last in the proper state of repose it is meant to convey the idea that there is no question about a third term.

This is the first of a series of similar devices or puzzles that will be sent around by the Theodore III Club during the time intervening between now and the Republican convention. George Calvert, the miniature artist, is secretary of the club, and a very wide-awake one he is, too.

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LOCAL MENTION.

EXCURSIONS TO-DAY.

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To Alexandria—Ferry steamer Lakewood every hour and a half from 6 a. m. to 6 p. m. To Fort Myer, Arlington, National Cemetery, Falls Church, and Fairfax Court House—Cars from Twelfth street and Pennsylvania avenue and Aqueduct Bridge.

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Ordered by the Commissioners. The Commissioners have accepted the resignation of F. W. Hallock, messenger in the sewer division, to take effect from May 15, and have appointed in his place J. H. Williams, for a temporary period to July 1 next. Orders have also been issued for the laying of a 12-inch sewer system in Massachusetts avenue, between the Naval Observatory and Wisconsin avenue, at an estimated cost of \$4,700.

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Iona Peas, per can. 8c
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ONE JUROR NEEDED

Eleven Men Obtained to Try Gaston P. Philip.

NEW PANEL IS SUMMONED

Brothers of Man on Trial for Murder of Frank Macaboy, the Cabman, in Court by His Side—Girl to Testify Against Clubman—Accused Apparently Unconcerned as to Outcome.

ELEVEN MEN NOW IN THE BOX.

Thomas J. Ryan, ironworker, 102 F street northwest.
Henry J. Welch, jeweler, 39 Quincy street.
George W. Mason, colored, undertaker, 503 Nichols avenue.
James D. Finch, painter, 1408 North Capitol street.
Edward T. Walter, painter, 68 F street southwest.
Robert G. Callen, electrician, 172 D sales street.
Michael Robinson, colored laborer, 42 D street southeast.
John H. Cook, electrician, 324 Eighth street northeast.
George Gastner, grocer, Fourteenth and P streets.
William B. Deham, 1748 Eighth street northwest.

Seventy-five talesmen have been examined, but the jury which is to try Gaston P. Philip, the wealthy clubman, on the indictment charging him with the murder of Frank B. Macaboy, a cabman, on May 18 a year ago, is still uncompleted.

An additional panel of thirty talesmen have been summoned to report in Criminal Court No. 2 this morning. Of the eleven men in the box Monday afternoon, when an adjournment was taken because the panel was exhausted, but four remain, being Thomas J. Ryan, an iron worker; Henry J. Welch, a jeweler; George W. Mason, a colored undertaker, and James D. Finch, a painter.

The government has exercised nine of its twenty peremptory challenges and the defense ten. In view of this, the whole eleven now in the box may yet be changed.

Philip, accompanied by his brothers, Capt. J. Van Ness Philip and Hoffman Philip, secretary of legation and consul general at Tangier, Morocco, entered the courtroom shortly before 10 o'clock, and chatted with his attorneys, Henry E. Davis and A. A. Hoehling, Jr. He had changed his light suit of Monday for a striped serge, which fitted his stalwart form perfectly. As on Monday, he was unconcerned, and acted unlike a man who is on trial for his life. During the examination of talesmen he made many suggestions to his counsel, as did his brother, Capt. Philip, and the latter also took copious notes.

Pretty Girl Called. Hazel Davis, sometimes known as Mabel Davis, the handsome young brunette who was with Philip and Macaboy part of the night preceding the shooting, and who has been called as a government witness, was in court for a short time, but spent most of the time in an ante-room, waiting to be called.

She is about twenty, with a clear, pink complexion, and expressive brown eyes. Her beautifully manicured fingers bore several costly diamond rings. She was dressed in a blue silk skirt, a white shirt waist, and a sailor hat.

It is said that Miss Davis will furnish important testimony for the government. Several times it appeared as if the box had been filled and the twelve men would be sworn, but each time either Assistant District Attorney McKenna or Turner or Attorneys Davis or Hoehling would challenge, and Clerk McKee would call out the name of a talesman, and the work of examining would proceed.

Honey Examined First. John W. Honey, a groceryman, of Thirtieth and C streets northeast, was the first talesman accepted, but he was later challenged and excused.

When the name of John W. Dabney was called, a well-dressed colored man responded. Justice Barnard put him through the usual questions as to residence, whether he could read or write, and asked: "What is your occupation?"

"I am a tinsmith, suh," responded the talesman, which response created considerable laughter. Dabney was accepted, but later challenged by the government and excused.

John O. Hill, an elderly man, was called. His examination developed the fact that he would be sixty-five years old on June 4. "Is your last name Barnard?" asked Justice Barnard